

COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO RENAISSANCE LITERATURE

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

University College Cork

Program(s)

University College Cork

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English

UCEAP Course Number

125

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO RENAISSANCE LITERATURE

UCEAP Transcript Title

INTRO/RENSSNCE LIT

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course introduces English literature of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries. The course familiarizes students with some of the social, cultural, and intellectual contexts which informed the emergence and development of literature in this period. The course's set texts reflect the broad generic range and preoccupations of the era, such as authority, gender, selfhood, and nation. Two or more plays by Shakespeare and his contemporaries, and a variety of poetic and/or prose texts will be studied. The course provides a foundation for further study of Renaissance literature, including Shakespeare.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

EN2080

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Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

English

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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